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MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL IS DENIED

Also for Stay of Judgment In Dynamiting Cases at Indianapolis.

38 MEN SENTENCED.

Appeals Taken in Every Case to United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Chicago.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 30.—Seven years at hard labor in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kansas, was the heaviest penalty imposed by Judge Albert B. Anderson today on the 38 noted labor leaders branded felons by a jury in the dynamite conspiracy case This was the punishment meted out to Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, and was one year more than was given to the other men who were considered Ryan's chief lieutenants in destroying the work of the American Bridge Company throug out the country. Six men got off with suspension of sentence while the penalties imposed on the others ranged from one year and one day's imprisonment to the sentence imposed upon Ryan. The chief sentences, other than that imposed on Ryan was six years, the penalty fixed in the cases of John T. Butler, of Buffalo; vice president; Eugene A. Clancy San Francisco; Olaf A. Tveitmoe, secretary of the California Building Trades' Council and head of the Asiatic Exclusion League, San Francisco; Herbert S. Hockin, former secretary of the Ironworkers' of Detroit; Michael J. Young vice president, Boston; and J. E. Munsey, organizer, Salt Lake, alleged to have been the man who gave a place of refuge to Jim McNamara, following the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building.

Four years in the penitentiary was the fate of John H. Barry, of St. Louis, and Peter J. Smith, of Cleveland, Ohio, district organizers.

A motion for a new trial was denied as was also a motion for a stay of judgment.

Appeals were taken in each case to the United States Circuit Court at Chicago.

Death of German Minister.

Berlin, Dec. 30.—Herr Von Waechter, German foreign minister died suddenly today at Suggart where he was spending the holidays with his sister. A message to Kaiser, through the foreign office here, was the first public announcement of the death.

The deepest regret was expressed by all government officials, not only because Herr Von Kiderlen Waechter was liked by many, but because his death is a keen loss to Germany in the present European situaion.

Herr Von Kiderlen-Waechter was regarded as one of the most astute statemen and in was in high favor with the Kaiser. He was largely instrumental in the formation of the Triple Alliance, the league of Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy. In the Moroccan embroglio that for a time promised to involve Germany and France in a war, he conducted the German side of the controversy with such consumate skill tha he won the plaudits of the world.

He became secretary of state for foreign Affairs when Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg succeeded Von Buelow.

ANNUAL DANCE.

Twenty-five young men of Alexandria will meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms tonight at 7:15 o'clock to make arrangements for holding the annual dance which will be given on the night of January 9th, at the Elks Hall. The dance last year was a great success, and was given under the name of the "Millionaires." Just what name will be chosen for the dance this year is to be decided tonight. The following are some of the young men who are to atend the meeting: C. R. Hellmuth, James Patterson, John Wells, B. Wells, J. Dillingham, Hunt Russell, Mr. Hamilton, E. Hellmuth, Robert Meyers, G. L. Appich, George and James Schoenl, W. Miller, George Pickett, J. T. Hill, T. Mills, C. Hill, Clarence Corbett, C. Burgess, R. Zachary, John Sweeney, G. Bain, M. Simpson, L. Dyson, J. Schwartzman and Ervin A. Schwartzman.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A dispatch from West Palm Beach, Fla., says President Taft returned to the United States yesterday after a most satisfactory visit to the Panama Canal Zone, a visit which was entertaining at times and at others accompanied by some thrilling experiences. His inspection of the work at the isthmus convinced him that the prediction made by Col. Goethals that the water could be turned into the great cut some time next summer can be fulfilled.

An epidemic of bold robberies and safe-crackings in New York, apparently the work of an organized band of criminals who are estimated to have blown open eleven safes in the last three weeks, and realized something like $100,000 in loot from their operations, has been ended, the police believe, by the arrest of four men. The safe blowers worked with such cleverness that many business men slept in their stores to guard their property.

A desperate fight between an artillery and an infantry regiment at Oporto, Portugal recently threw the whole city into a commotion. Great political rivalry exists between the two corps, and matters came to a head while both were carousing in the lower part of the city. Weapons were used freely, and the combatants for a long time defied the efforts of the police and other troops to separate him. Eventually the commandant sent for the firemen, and after an hour's drenching the brawlers capitulated. The ringleaders were arrested.

Singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers," 200 children, members of a Sunday school class, marched out of their class room at Chicago yesterday through smoke from a fire that destroyed the Lorimer Memorial Baptist Church.

Trying in vain to save her invalid hsuband from being burned to death in a fire that did a quarter of a million dollars damage in Newport, R. I., early yesterday Mrs. Frank S. Heath met death in the flames. The bodies were found near an open window, where the wife had dragged her husband in a desperate attempt to attract attention.

Three white men and five negroes were killed and several are missing as the result of the explosion of a boiler at the shops of the Seaboard Air Line railroad at Hamlet, N. C. The explosion was caused by turning water into a boiler while it was hot. The walls of the engine room were demolished and the roof blown off the machine shop. A large number of men were employed in the shops, and it was considered remarkable that the casualty list was not larger.

Sentenced for Burglary.

Manassas, Va., Dec. 30.—George Davis, of Washington, who was sentenced in the circuit court of this county last week to serve two years in the penitentiary for a burglary committed in Manassas the latter part of October left here Saturday afternoon for Richmond in charge of Prison Guard Y. R. Cline. He was handcuffed to two accomplices in his crime, Edward Fuller threw up his hands and put the rifle to his shoulder and fired, and Oliver fell on the sidewalks.

Mrs. Ella Ridgeway, wife of W. Ridgeway, a dairyman, of Hot Springs, Ark., caused the arrest yesterday of her son-in-law, Gus Hassellman, and her youngest daughter, Mrs. Ruby Rose, wife of Tom Rose, a former vaudeville actor, charging them with poisoning her eldest daughter, Mrs. Jewell Hassellman, who died Friday night. Ten days ago Ruby Rose, aged seventeen, was married. For a week she had been separated from her husband. Mrs. Ridgeway stated that a short time before her daughter (Hasselman's wife) died she called her into the room, ordering others out of the apartment and told her mother that Hassellman had been giving her poison from which she was dying. "I cannot live," Mrs. Ridgeway said her daughter told her. "When I am dead I want you to make an investigation. Don't do anything now, for if you do my husband will kill us both." Mrs. Hasselman died and was to have been buried today.

Country Pork Sausage, 15c pound. Country Puddings, Pork, 14c pound. and all pork products at strictly wholesale figures at Schuler's King Street Market.

GARMENT WORKERS OF NEW YORK STRIKE

Walkout Paralyzes One of the Biggest Industries in The City.

LEADERS ARE BLAMED.

Representatives of State Department and Labor Endeavoring to Bring About a Compromise.

Ne wYork, Dec. 30.—In a cold downpour of rain, which drenched them to the skin, the men and women garment workers of New York and the surrounding cities affiliated with the United Garment Workers' of North America, went on strike today to enforce working conditions. The strike for a time completely paralyzed one of the biggest industries of the city, but the employers' association, which is acting as a unit in opposing the demands of the strikers, was confident that it would fizzle. The employers said that while many of their factories were slow in opening because many of the workers who remained loyal were afraid to show up today, they would retain in excess of fifty forces and would quickly be able to fill the places of all the others. The employers blamed the leaders for the strike and insisted that the majority of the workers were satisfied with present conditions. To grant the demands, it was said, would spell bankruptcy to hundreds of the smaller manufacturers and all had agreed to shut down as a last resort rather than grant the demands.

Representatives of the state department of labor were on the ground endeavoring to get the two sides together on a basis of compromise, but it was not believed they would be very successful.

A committee of well-known women, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes, who was a cigar maker before she married into he Stokes family with its millions, and Mrs. Berthat Mailey have already organized a plan of systematic relief for the families of the strikers and opened headquarters in the heart of the strike district today.

Estimates of the number out, varied from 40,000 to 100,000, but the leaders said that they would not know definitely until all reports were made at the big meetings scheduled for tonight.

Vessels Bombarded.

Vessels shipping in the Potomac river near Eleventh street wharves southwest Washington were bombarded for more than half an hour yesterday by four young men who were using 22-calibre rifles they had received from thenr parents as Christmas gifts. A dozen or more bullets struck the boats, it was reported, and the men aboard the boats and those on the wharves were forced to take shelter.

A complaint was made by telephone to the harbor police station, and Policemen Cooper, Wheeler and Skinner hurried to the railroad bridge to put a stop to the shooting.. Four youths were arrested. Each of the boys had a 22-calibre rifle. Each left $10 collateral for his appearance in the juvenile court this morning.

Crushed to Death.

Fernie, Bfi. C., Dec. 30.—Fifteen carpenters employed by the Crows Nest Pass Coal Compnay, were crushed to death today in an avalanche which carried away a building in which they were housed and buried them beneath hundreds of tons of earth.

Russia's Death Rate.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 30.—Russia now has the highest death rate of world, according to reports of the medical inspection department, made public today. In the last five years Russian mortality has increased from 28 to 31 per thousand. Epidemics, mainly typhoid fever are said to be responsible for the high death rate. In the first ten months of 1912, records show 612,287 persons died from such diseases.

The cold snow and sleet of the present wintry weather is just a sample of what will follow. No time like the present to secure rubber boots and shoes—the kind that Marshall keeps—the Gold Seal.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows has accepted an invitation to attend the installation of the recently elected officers of Falls Church Lodge the night of January 9 next.

The only case on the docket of the Police Court this morning was that of Henry Johnson, colored, who was charged with assaulting Mary Todd. His case was continued.

Urged for Ambassadorship.

Frineds of former Lieut.-Gov. Joseph E. Willard, of Fairfax, Va., who is part owner of the New Willard Hotel, in Washington, and a millionaire, are urging him for appointment by President-elect Wilson as Ambassador to France.

Colonel Willard has been an active figure in Virginia politics. Besdes serving as lieutenant-governor he was for four years a member of the State Corporation Commission. He was also a candidate for Governor at the time Senator C. A. Swanson was nominated.

COLORED MAN'S SUDDEN DEATH

Frederick Tebbs, colored, 59 years old, employed as a laborer by the Southern Railway Company, and whose home was at 211 South Columbus St., died Saturday afternoon at the coat chute in the company's yards. Just as Tebbs fell to the ground his right hand dropped across a track and a shifting locomotive ran over it, badly mashing it. It is declared by railway employes, however, that Tebbs was dead at the time. Hear trouble is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

Tebbs' body was removed to B. Wheatley's undertaking establishment and Coroner S. B. Moore summoned a jury which viewed the body Saturday night, and was afterwards adpourned over until 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The jury, composed of B. F. Penn, N. L. Williamson, Norman Roberts, S. W. Pitts, C. Conway Brawner and B. Weil.

Tebbs for many years was employed as a driver for the firm of Davy and Harmon. An autopsy was held yesterday by Drs. Smith and Moore.

Death of Edward Johnson.

Edward Johnson, 61 years old, died Sunday at his home in lower Fairfax county. The deceased was a native of Liverpool, Eng., He was unmarried and was a carpenter by trade. His funeral will take place this afternoon from his home. The services will be conducted by Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, and burial will be in Woodlawn cemetery.

Victims of The Alps.

Geneva, Switzerland, Dec. 30.—Statistics made public today by the German and Swiss Alpine Clubs, show that 133 climbers were killed and 514 injured in the Alps during 1912. As usual, the majority of the vicitms were Germans for the reason probably that the Teuton climbers usually dispense with the services of guides, partly through economy and partly through pride..

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Berlin.—"We women are the nerves of Germany; the men are the muscles" said a public appeal by women to tone down the night life of the capital.

Boston.—Miss Sarah McKinnon, a 21-year- old deaf and dumb girl, attempted suicide because a man refused to marry her, when she proposed.

New York.—Thomas A. Edison again says he has perfected the kindtophone, a talking machine that works in harmony with moving pictures.

New York.—To aid woman's suffrage, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, will produce a series of plays dealing with "The Cause."

Philadelphia,—The Commission on social service has found that any self-suporting woman can live on $7.29 cents a week in this town.

Proposed advances of four cents per hundred pounds on lumber from points on the Washington, Western Railway to points on the Great Northern, the Northern Pacific and the Chicago, Burlington and uincy and Kansas, were today suspended until April 1, by the I. C. C.

Legs of Lamb, 12 1-2c to 15c pound. Lamb Chops, 15c pound. Breast Lamb 10c pound. Stew Lamb, 8c lb. at Schuler's King Street Market.

WOULDBE BURGLARS IN HANDS OF POLICE

Had Planned Bank Explosion as Feature of New Year's Celebration.

WOMEN WITNESSES.

One Prisoner a Pupil of One of the Inventors of "Can-Opener" Method of Ripping Safes.

New York, Dec. 30.—Satisfied that they have in custody one of the boldest bands of safe robbers ever picked up here the police were today congratulating themselves that in he arests they had forestalled a robbery that would have been remarkable for the amount of booty. The robbers, seven in number, the police allege had planned a New Year's celebration that included blowing the strong box of Patrick Pennachia's Italian bank at Morris Avenue and 148th street which it was said today usually holds upwards of $300,000 in cash and negotiable securities.

The chief witness against the men will be Nettie Briggs, a 20-year-old girl who says that she came here from Wilkesbarre and Mrs. Josephine Pauls, alias Sacks, in whose apartment at 2552 Seventh Avenue, four of the suspects were arrested. The Briggs woman, insisting she had no knowledge of any of the burglaries charged against the prisoners, has, it is understood, given much valuable information. Both women have confessed.

All of the men under arrest are held in the custody of the police who will try to get further charges against them although here are now eight specific robberies alleged. The men are George Gillen, Henry Ross, Antonio Caggiano, Louis Cappazzi, Henry Albrecht, Pasquale Fuscino and Ingvald Corneliuson. None is over 22 years old. Ross the leader, the police allege, was a pupil of Herman Schultz, alias Ibrahim Hamit, one of the inventors of the "Can Opener" method of ripping safes open and a burglar with a mile long record. Schultz is now serving 30 years in Sing Sing.

Serious Charges.

Mystic, Conn., Dec. 30.—With one of its best known citizens a suicide immediately following his arrest, and with five other bound over for trial in the higher court on charges of contributing to juvenile delinquency, this ancient whaling community was still further scandalized by the announcement today by town Prosecutor Warren H. Burrows, that other well-known aged men are facing arrest today. It is alleged that the prosecutor is in posession of complete confessions from girls of tender age in which they charge leading village officials and store keepers with acts of a criminal nature and that as soon as these confessions can be substantiated the other arrests will be made.

Fertilizer Plant Destroyed.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 30.—The fertilizer plant of the General Manufacturing Company, was destroyed by fire early this morning. The loss is roughly estimated at about $150,000.

Christmas Celebrations.

St. Rita's Catholic Sunday school of Del Ray, Alexandria county, held its annual Christmas celebration yesterday afternoon. Candy and fruits were distributed among the scholars, together with a number of special presents. There was also a musical programme given.

Sunday school celebrations will be held tonight by the First and Second Baptist Sunday schools, the former at 8 o'clock, and the latter at 7:30 o'clock. Special programmes of exercises have been arranged at each of them, which will be followed by the distribution of gifts to the children.

The Sunday school in the First Presbyterian church on South Fairfax street will hold its celebration tonight.

DIED.

December 30, 1912 at the Alexandria hospital, Miss ALICE E. COLQUOHOUN, in the 86th year of her age. Funeral from Christ Church Tuesday morning 10 A. M. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. Southern Churchman please copy.

DEATH OF MISS COLQUOHOUN.

Well-Known and Esteemed Resident Passes Away at Early Hour This Morning.

Miss Alice E. Colquohoun, who had recently been paralyzed, died at the Alexandria Hospital at an early hour this morning. The deceased was 83 years old. Funeral services will be held in Christ Church at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. They will be conducted by Rev. W. J. Morton. The remains will be forwarded to Baltimore by W. Demaine & Son, undertakers, and interment will be in St. Paul's cemetery at that place.

Miss Colquohoun was the daughter of Charles Colquohoun, a native of Scotland. She was born in Dumfries, Prince William county, Va., in 1829. Her life had been devoted to eeleomosynary duties, and many years ago she accompanied Bishop Payne to Cape Palmas, Africa, where she vied in missionary work.

She came to Alexandria about a quarter of a century ago with Mrs. Martin, grandmother of Mr. Frank Goldsborough, since which time she had resided in this city.

She had been secretary of the ladies' board of managers of the Alexandria Hospital during most of the time she had lived in Alexandria. She had many friends and acquaintances who will regret to hear of her death.

U. S. COURT JURIES.

More Than 50 Veniremen Summoned For Next Monday.

More than fifty veniremen from all sections of Northern Virginia have been summoned on the petit and grand juries of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia which will convene in Alexandria next Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The following will compose the juries.

Petit Jury—D. N. Rust, Richard H. Roberts, John K. Brown, H. L. Allen, H. K. Field, C. C. Brawner, H. R. Moffett, G .W. Grayson, Alex Edwards, Samuel A. Appleton, F. A. Gaskins, J. M. Carter, Wm. Lynn, E. L. Hutt, W. J. Flood, H. D. Williams, C. F. Praboster, A. M. Graham, David Sale, Frank Spinuls, James A. Quaintance, G. W. Allison, W. H. Jones, W. W. P. Farrish, R. A. Melton, W. M. Ball, J. T. Sanford, H. L. Whitestone, S. C. Scott.

Grand Jurors—John Howlon, Dr. J. A. Marshall, John H. Trimyer, M. Ahern, A. S. Doniphan, S. L. Woodrod, John H. Fisher, P. M. Bradshaw, L. C. Chappalear, G. W. Hunter, J. W. Merchant, Chas. T. Scott, Capt. J. B. Beverley, Lewis Walker, W. C. Halls, C. T. Clark, S. M. Lomax, G. K. Brown, O. B. Cadhan, W. E. Suddoth, R. E. Maddox, W. Halcher.

There is an unusually large docket of both criminal and civil cases and the court will in all probability, remain in sessio nfor several weeks. Judge Edmund Waddill, Jr., of Richmond, will preside at the session of the court.

ELECTRIC HATCHING.

They are hatching chickens by electricity now. If you don't believe it, take a look at the electrobator in operation in the show window of the Alexandria Lighting Company's office, 524 King street. The surprising part of this hatching by means of the electric current lies in the method of its application. The heat required in the hatching process is supplied by two small incandescent bulbs, just the ordinary lighting bulb, several of which are used to light and heat the hatcher.

The electrobator on display in the window has been running over two weeks and is just now beginning to hatch out the batch of chickens. If all the eggs hatch there will be 60 young chicks in a day or so.

WILSON AT STAUNTON.

Charles E. Yeager, manager of the Griffin Furniture Company, returned to the city this morning from a visit to Staunton, Va., where he went to witness the reception to President-elect Wilson. Mr. Yaeger states that the decorations along the route of the parade and the fine arch erected at the station were simply magnificent. At stated intervals along the main street large columns were erected on tapering bases and covered with white plaster, wound about with running green cedar, topped with electric light bulbs, great strings of incandescent lights running from pillar to pillar on either side of the street. In Mr. Yaeger's opinion, this was a splendid and very successful reception that Staunton accorded the President-elect.

Pork Chops, 15c pound, small and lean. Fresh Hams, 15c pound. Fresh Shoulders, 14c pound. At M. Schuler's King Street Market.

PEACE ENVOYS IN A DEADLOCK

Arbitration May Be Only Solution of Turkish-Balkan Issues.

BOTH PARTIES FIRM.

Porte Will, It Is Said, Insist on Retaining Adrianople—Powers Likely to Prevent Resumption of War.

There was a growing conviction today among the diplomats that the only solution of the Turkish-Balkan peace deadlock can be arbitration by the ambassadors of the great powers.

It was learned today that there was, among the the Turkish delegates at least, a disposition to lay the matter before the ambassadorial conferees at the foreign office, when they are resumed on Thursday, iln the event that the Turks and the Balkan envoys do not get closer together before that date.

It has been believed from the outset that the informal consultations suggested by Sir Edward Grey, foreign minister, would lead to a formal ambassadorial conference and this might be called for at once, to consider the Balkan tangle.

There was no indication, as far as could be gathered around the hotel where the peace delegates were stopping,what either the Ottoman or the Balkan League envoys could be prepared to recede in any degre when the peace conference is resumed in St. James, palace this afternoon.

Turkey, it was said, would insist on keeping Adrianople and the allies, it is said, will make no peace terms, that do not include the cessation of Adrianople.

It was thought that some of the Balkan plenipotentiaries might favor a resumption of hostilities if Turkey persisted in her proposals at the afternoon meeting, but it was said that the great powers would intervene to prevent renewed fighting.

In the event that ambassadorial conference is called to arbitrate the Turkish-Balkan differences, it is likely that there will be a disagreement between the Triple Alliance and the Triple Entente. In diplomatic circles it is known that Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy favor making autonomous Albania an extended state, while England, France and Russia favor restricted boundaries for the country.

Constantinople, Dec. 30.—Turkey favors arbitration of the Balkan situation by the ambassadors of the great powers, it was learned today. It was said that all of the ministers want peace except the Grand Vizier, Kiamil Pasha. He desires to continue the war.

The Porte, at the outset, said that the question of Crete could be disposed of only by Turkey and the great powers, and it is said that the Turkish government is willing to submit all question now before the London Peace Conference, to the ambassadors, who would act as arbitrators rather than mediators.

Babies A Commodity.

New York, Dec. 30—Babies for sale. Blonde or brunette. F. O. B. New York, $5. or sent on approval by parcels post."

Advertisements of this character may soon be expected in the newspapers unles sthe legislature of New York step in and make some laws that will stamp out the widespread traffic in infants in this city, the existence of which became known in detail today for the first time.

The chief trafficker in infants is Mrs. Dora Rammelin a German widow, who for years, she admitted today has supplied demand for babies ate from $3 to $10 a piece. Mrs. Rammlin gets her stock of infants in various ways, either from distracted mothers of large families who have no place or time for their latest born or from the infant asylums or homes. The main source of demand comes from wives who wish to foist an infant upon their unsuspecting husbands.

Follow the crowd. Seek to know what is going on. Look at the calibre of people who are buying—those who make every cent count. Where do they stop? Why at Marshall's Shoe Store.

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Stocks, Rabats, Jabots, collars and cuff sets all boxed, in a variety of different styles, at .....25c and 50c

Sleeveless Guimpes, finished with elastic at bottom of waist; made of shadow and plain nets, with high collar, all boned; at.....50c

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Seeded Raisins, 3 pkgs 25c.
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Very heavy Brass Costumers, square post, at $8.00

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria--Happenings in Society.

Mr. Elmer Thompson has returned from Baltimore after spending the week-end with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

Mrs. J. H. MacLaughlin, of Norfolk, has returned home after a delightful visit to friends in this city.

Miss Bertha Bander left this morning for Philadelphia where she will spend several weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Storrow Green gave a large reception Saturday afternoon at their home in Connecticut Avenue, Washington, for Mrs. Charles St. Claire Taylor Burke and Mrs. John Woolfork Burke, brides of the past autumn.

Mrs. William H. Wilmer and Mrs. Gardner L. Boothe, of Alexandria, served chocolate, Mrs. William Beverly Mason and Mrs. John R. Wellington frappe and Mrs. L. B. Hardin and Mrs. Hugh McGuire, of Alexandria, were at the punch bowl. Other assistants were Miss Josephine Mason, of Washington, Miss Esther Burke, Miss Esther Green, Miss Alice Anderton of Alexandria and Miss Chloe Cooke, of Baltimore.

Mr. Robert A. Zachary is visiting in Bridgeton, N. J.

Miss Elizabeth Peyton has returned to the U. of V. Hospital Training School, after spending a few days with her father, Mr. Phillip B. Peyton, on Bradock Heights.

Mrs. Percy Evans has returned to her home in Hume, Va., after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Douglas, on Cameron street.

Miss Hattie Douglas has returned from Winchester where she has been the guest of Mrs. George Doswell Brooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Boyle, of Washington, were the guests last week of Mrs. Boyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, on Cameron street

Mrs. James T. Luckett and her two sons are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scrivener, in Augusta, Ga.

Mr. Charles J. Deahl, jr., has returned to his home in Portsmouth, Va., after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Deahl, on Prince street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Dare and their two children, Edgar and Virginia, are visiting Mrs. Dare's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, at Rising Sun, Md.

Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, all series will be held Thursday, January 9, 1913, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., at their office, 612 King Street.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secy.
30- t-d.

WILSON PASSES THROUGH

President-Elect Reaches Union Passenger Station Yesterday Afternoon.

Governor Woodrow Wilson arrived at the union passenger station about a quarter past 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and Alexandrians who were at that place at the time obtained another glimpse of the future occupant of the White House. Mr. Wilson was on a northbound Chesapeake and Ohio train. The stop was brief and he did not make his appearance on the platform. Hon. C. C. Carlin and Mrs. Carlin left the train at the station, and it soon moved away towards Washington.

Governor Wilson spent three-quarters of an hour at the Union Station in Washington, but none of the several hundred persons who gathered there were able to see him.

He did not leave his car and no one got past the Secret Service men and the police who guarded him from intrusion. Elaborate preparation to protect a President-elect had been taken, and while Mr. Wilson was traveling very democratically dining in the same diner with many of the Democrats who made with him the pilgrimage to the little white house in Staunton, nothing had been left undone to meet any possible contingency.

Governor Wilson and his party arrived at the station in Washington at 3:43 and left at 4:20.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICES.

First Baptist Church Comemorates Services of Four Members.

The annual memorial services of the First Baptist Church were held last night and a large audience was present. Four members of the church died during the past year as follows: Mrs. Fannie Elizabeth Lawson, Edwin C. Joyce, Robert J. Lloyd and Edward Petty. Addresses in commemorating their memory were made by the following members of the church: For Mrs. Lawson, prepared by Miss Rosalie C. Broadus and read, in her absence, by Mrs. William Jorg; for Mr. Joyce, by Judge C. E. Nicol; for Mr. Lloyd, J. M. Saunders and for Mr. Petty, Rev. W. F. Watson, D .D. An appropriate musical program was rendered by the choir of the church under direction of J. T. Preston.

TRADES COUNCIL TO MEET.

Will Discuss Conviction of 38 Trade Unionists.

At a meting of Trades Council tonight it is expected that the conviction at Indianapolis on Saturday of 38 Trade Unionists for conspiracy in connection with the McNamara dynamiting projects will come up for no little discussion. The affair has created widespread interest in the trade union movement everywhere and has brought the rank and file of the membership to a realization of the necessity of being careful in the selection of officers. Aside from this case several matters of local importance will come before the meeting tonight among which will be the annual banquet. A committee was appointed at the last meeting to make arrangements for this affair and their report is expected tonight.

YEAR DRAWING TO CLOSE

Christmas Music Repeated and Sermons Appropriate to Last Sunday of Year

The special Christmas music which was rendered last Sunday and on Wednesday was repeated in the churches yesterday and the ministers delivered discourses appropriate to the closing year.

Christmas celebrations will be held in several churches tonight and after the watch services of tomorrow night and the festivities of New Year's Day normal conditions will have set in once more.

Preparations for the festivities incident to New Year's Day have been made by social organizations and many private families. As is customary numbers of Alexandrians will keep "open house" on that day and calls will be made and returned.

The holiday season has been generally enjoyed hereabouts this year. While conditions have been serene and certain features which sometimes mar its celebration have been conspicuous by their absence, joy has been in the air and the true spirit of the occasion has been manifestd.

For many yars Christmas was the day genrally obsrvd in the Southland. All the mirth and pleasures of the season were concentrated in that day. It was duly celebrated in the colonial mansion as well as in the humblest cottage. In the North, however, while Christmas was not ignored, most of the spirit of the season was shown on New Year's Day.

In the Southern country at present both are observed, although interest still centers on the anniversary of the scenes in Bethlehem many centuries ago.

GRAND JURY THURSDAY.

The grand jury of the Corporation Court which was charged with the investigation of the death of Patrick Buckley will reconvene on Thursday morning when additional testimony will be heard relative to the manner in which Buckley met his death. The grand jury will also consider the indictment of Henry Stephens, charged with an attempt to kill Peter Snellings.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late John W. Smith, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 131 North Payne Stret. Services were conducted by Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pasto rof the Methodist Protestant Church. Burial was in Union Cemetery.

Miss Pansy Finley's funeral took place at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from her home, 623 south Patrick St. Rev. Dr. W. F. Watson pastor of the First Baptist church, conducted the services. Burial was in Bethel cemetery.

DEATH FOLLOWS OPERATION.

Oswald Tutz, a harness maker, employed by J. Dreifus & Sons, died at the Alexandria Hospital at 7:45 this morning following an operation which was performed on Friday night.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

SCHOOL FOR WINCHESTER.

Handley Trustees Planning Industrial Training Institution.

Winchester, Va., Dec. 30.—Steps toward the erection of the John Handley Memorial Industrial Schools in Winchester are expected to be taken at a meeting of the trustees of the Handley Fund early in January. Under the will of the late Judge John Handley, of Scranton, Pa., who left the residue of his estate, estimated at between $2,000,000 and $2,500,000, to the city of Winchester, after payment of bequests aggregating about $150,000, several hundred thousand dollars are to be devoted to these industrial schools.

The Handley estate owns a tract of about 14 acres of land in the southwestern suburbs of Winchester, and it is proposed to erect the school buildings there. The school will have a thorough equipment for industrial training and tuition will be free to residents of Winchester and Frederick county. It is possible that the free-tuition privilege will be extended also to young people in other sections of the State.

It is planned at the trustees' meeting in January to arrange to have architects submiit plans for the buildings. At the same time, the trustees will probably arrange for the formal opening of the Handley Memorial Library, which was completed several years ago at a cost of about $200,000.

The funds available heretofore have not been sufficient for the maintenance of the library, but now that the entire estate is about to be turned over to the city of Winchester, about $50,000 will be spent for books, furniture and other necesary equipment. C. Vernon Eddy, a native of Winchester but for several years a resident of Philadelphia, has been elected librarian.

BOY KILLS COMPANION.

Obeyed Victim's Request to Shoot at Him With Flobert Rifle.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 30.—Telling Roy Fowler, an 11-year-old boy to shoot at him with a .22 caliber flobert rifle cost Joseph Martin Oliver, 13 years old, his life Saturday. The shooting occurred in Berkley Ward, near Clifton and State streets.

The Fowler boy was on the roof of the woodshed in his yard when young Oliver, passing down Clifton street, called to the former and told him to shoot at him.

"I'll give you leave to sho[illegible]" the Oliver boy shouted. George Fowler Martin Oliver threw up his hands and put the rifle to his shoulder and fired, fell on the sidewalks.

A crowd gathered and the boy was carried to his home. When his clothing was removed it was found that the bullet had pierced his heart.

The Fowler boy was arrested. He cried when a policeman came for him and declared he did not intend to kill his playmate.

Females on the Job.

New York, Dec. 30.—Eight of the feminine guests of the municipal lodging house today started out bright and early on their new job followed by the envious glances of all their fellow lodgers. It isn't often that a municipal lodging house guest, male or female, has occasion to feel envious of any one's job, of any kind being looked upon with more or less disfavor in those parts.

But the job this double quartet is engaged in is such a cinch, that even those famous twins of the highway, Weary Willie and Dusty Rhodes, could find no fault with it. These ladies are being paid $1 a day each for merely breathing. True, they have to breathe through a tube, but they can take their respiratio nas easy as they wish.Their employer is Dr. C. Weissman of a chemical laboratory uptown, where they are making experiments on the vaporizing of breath by way of correcting certain faults of the average sick room. The hired breathers blow their breath into tubes attached to bottles where the vaporizing takes place.

Rev. Mortimer's Retirement.

Philadelphia, Dec. 30.—Explanation of the alleged forced retirement of the Rev. Alfred G. Mortimer from the rectorship of St. Mark's Philadelphia's most fashionable church was postponed today when Bishop Rhinelander, again pressed for a statement, sent the following reply to newspapers men:

"Within the next few days I shall issue a statement. Until the time I don't care to discuss the resignation of Dr. Mortimer."

On acount of the absolute silence of those concerned all manner of speculations rife as to the explanation which was expected from the bishop's house this morning.

Norfolk Oysters fried at Rammel's Cafe.

"BORROWED" AUTOMOBILE.

Seventeen-Year-Old Youth Sent to the Reformatory.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 30.—Edward Guthrow, who is 17 years old has been sentenced to the reformatory at Laurel when he will be 21 and a "man" for "joy-riding" in a borrowed automobile, according to the sentence pronounced upon him by Justice Crutchfield.

Guthrow was convicted under a new law, which makes it a misdemeanor for any one to make unathorized use of a motor car. The police believe his conviction and punishment will deter other youths from similar practices. The "theft" of automobiles for "joy-riding" purposes has become common recently.

With James Williams and W. B. Eachto, two boys about his age, Guthrow drove to Petersburg, the night of December 18 in an automobile belonging to Robert S. Gray, of Highland Park. Guthrow took the machine from the place where Mr. Gray left it while attending church services. He drove to a dance hall where he invited Williams and Eachto to take a spin.

The authorities of Laurel have refused to receive Guthrow, they alleging he is suffering from valvular disease of the heart.

Cutting Affray.

Roanoke, Va., Dec. 30.—Frank Sheaf has been arrested charged with assaulting and stabbing Robert O. Heptensall in the latter's home. Noell Heptensall, son of the injured man, is also under arrest, charged with taking part in the assault. Heptensall's throat is cut from ear to ear; the end of his nose is slashed off and his lips, mouth and chin are split open. His injuries probably will prove fatal. The trouble originated, it is alleged, because of a young girl's visits next door to the Hepstensalls. When Hepstenstall sought to protect the girl, it is reported the assault occurred.

Terrible Experience.

The two survivors of the Danish steamer Volmer, who were picked up in an open boat 50 miles southwest of Lizard and landed at Newlyn, England, by a trawler Saturday, relate a terrible experience. The Volmer was wrecked Thursday in the gale which raged in the English channel. The crew abandoned the steamer, and one of the boats with nine occupants were swamped, all the men being drowned.

The second boat, with the captain and seven others aboard, managed to weather the heavy seas. They had no oars and no water, and they were unable to obtain food from the air-tight tank.

The chief engineer died and the chief officer went mad. He tried to throttle the captain. Eventually all died or were washed overboard except the captain and one other. They also were washed out of the boat several times, but managed to scramble back.

They drifted until Saturday morning, suffering the agonies of thirst and exposure. They were almost to their necks in water, and lost consciousness from exhaustion while being dragged through the sea into the rescuing boat.

Suffragettes at Albany.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 30.—General Posalie Jones and her active lieutenants in the marching suffragettes were astir early today and looked with distinct disapproval on a dark, rainy morning. "But the weather makes no difference, you know," she remarked. "Our plans will not change. We are at the capitol doors now and await the coming of Governor Sulzer."

General Jones explained that as the governor would not arrive until late this afternoon the sentinels who are to wait his coming would not be posted until after luncheon.

"They are just to show him honor, you know," she added, "two awaiting at the depot to escort him to the hotel and two at the hotel to meet him and arrange for a conference for me. Then I'll deliver my message."

Local suffragettes are planning many "teas" and all sorts of trips for the army, weather permiting. Tonight a rally will be held.

LOST—On Christmas Day, about one o'clock P. M., from buggy either on Alfred street from King to Oronoco or on Oronoco to Henry street, a silver mounted Cane, straight handle with Shamrock on it and "T." engrabved on the end. Finder will please leave at 529 King street and receive reward. 28 3t

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SEVERED HIS FINGERS.

Tailor, Chopping Wood, Discovers it in His Fire.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 30.—Cutting his left forefinger off and throwing it into the fire together with some wood before he was aware that it had been amputated was the experience a day or two ago of A. V. Brodie, who runs a tailoring and pressing establishment at 1308 Hull street.

According to Brodie, he was in the rear of his place cutting wood for his stove, when he suddenly discovered blood flowing from a part of the left finger and the other part gone. Upon looking into the stove he discovered that he had cut it off while cutting wood and thrown it into the fire.

Brodie declared that his hand was in a numb condition and the accidental amputation of the finger was not felt.

Assaulted and Robbed.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 30.—William Mitchell and William Johnson, negroes were held for the grand jury Saturday to answer a charge of assaulting C. B. Woodson, a middle-aged white man, and robbing him of a pocketbook, $8 in change, and a pair of gloves, last Sunday evening. The hold-up occurred at Twenty-second and Main streets, the negroes hemming in Woodson and knocking him unconscious with a club. They then rifled his pockets.

Patrick McDonough and John Burke were some distance away and witnessed the robbery, but were not near enough to render aid. They followed the negroes and succeeded in causing their arrest while they still had the gloves and money in their possession.

If the negroes are found guilty of robbery it will be a prison sentence, but if found guilty of assault and robbery the offense is one punishable by death in the electric chair.

Killed by Train.

Manassas, Va., Dec. 30.—A young girl by the name of Cooper was struck and killed, and her sister fatally injured, by passenger train No. 15, a short distance north of Bealeton station last night. The dead girl was 12 and her sister, is 16 years old.

Another sister and a brother were accompanying the victims of the tragedy to a Christmas entertainment at Bealeton when the accident occurred, and they, too, narrowly escaped death or serious injury.

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NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Citizens' National Bank, held this day, a semi-annual dividend of six per cent. was declared, payable on and after January 2, 1913.

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[No. 651.]
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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		1,145,489.47
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		376.24
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. S. Deposits, $25,000; to secure Postal Savings, $5,000		30,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc		29,479.71
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures		73,391.61
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		41,270.44
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks		5,426.41
Due from approved Reserve Agents		171,420.99
Checks and other Cash Items		11,394.75
Notes of other National Banks		1,340.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickles and Cents		566.89
Lawful Money reserve in Bank:		
Specie	$55,173.55	
Legal tender notes	15,865.00	
		71,038.55
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000.0
Total		$1,686,095.06

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$ 100,000.00
Surplus fund		150,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid		65,720.45
National Bank Notes outstanding		100,000.00
Due to other National Banks		72,623.20
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers		1,822.95
Individual deposits subject to check	1,151,668.24	
Demand certificates of deposit	1,227.38	
Time certificates of deposit	4,500.00	
Certified checks	1,729.49	
		1,159,125.61
United States deposits, $24,769.67; Postal Savings Deposits, 2,962.29		27,731.96
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers		258.65
Reserved for Taxes		1,600.00
Reserved for Interest		6,240.20
Liabilities other than those above stated		972.04
Total		$1,686,095.06

State of Virginia, city of Alexandria, ss:
I, George E. Warfield, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
GEO. E. WARFIELD, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of December, 1912.
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SALE OF VALUABLE PATENT RIGHTS AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Pursuant to a decree of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1912, in the chancery suit therein depending, wherein Frederick G. Cowie, et als were plaintiffs and the Towles-Schofield Co., Inc., were defendant, the undersigned will loffer for sale at Public Auction on the 23d Day of December, A. D., 1012, in front of the Corporation Court House on Fairfax street, at 12 o'clock M., the following property:

Patent for Smokeless Flashlight for Photographic Machines issued January 18, 1910, No. 946,849.

Pending application for patents on cartridges for use in machines covered by the foregoing patent, application for which was filed on the 24th day of July, 1911, on which said application for patent, all claims have been practically allowed, and will be granted on final payment of twenty dollars to the United States Patent Office, being serial No. 640,144.

Pending application for patents on improvements on the aforesaid machine, application for which was filed August 15th, 1911, and on which application practically all claims have been allowed and letters patent will be granted on final payment of twenty dollars to the United States Patent Office, being Serial No. 644,214.

Lease for three years and privilege of renewal for ten years on premises Nos. 1530-1532 Pennsylvania Avenue, S. E., Washington, D. C., said building being used as a factory.

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Machinery and plant equipment, office furniture and fixtures in the premises Nos. 1530-1532 Pennsylvania Avenue, S, E. Washington, D. C.

A large quantity of cartridges and supplies for said patented flashlight machines.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH.

A deposit of two hundred dollars will be requared at the time of sale, otherwise the property will be resold, at once. All conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

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GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
J. K. M. NORTON,
Commissioners of sale.

I certify that J. K. M. Norton, one of the Commissioners named in the above decree has entered into the bond in the penalty of $3,000 with aproved security, continued according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY
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DYNAMITERS FOUND GUILTY.

Thirty-eight officials of organized labor have been convicted of a plot to destroy work in all parts of the country, which was not done with union labor. These officials were given every advantage of a fair trial and were represented by some of the ablest lawyers of the country. But there was a preponderance of evidence against them and the verdict was that of "guilty" in all save two cases.

In running down and convicting these men, who are no less anarchists than are those who seek to wreck a government authorities have performed a great service to society and to organized labor. We do not believe that the great body of laboring men sanctioned this resort to violence any more than did the thousands of citizens who are not affiliated with union labor.

The great body of law abiding union men appreciate as fully as any one else that their ends can not be attained by violence, and they deprecate violence as other good citizens do. And the verdict returned Saturday was a verdict against organized labor, but for organized labor, because it rids the organization of men who not only were a menace to society, but to union labor as well.

LYNCHINGS ARE DECREASING.

Despite the public defense of Governor Blease, of South Carolina, of lynch law the number of lynchings in the United States are steadily decreasing, and during the past year Virginia's record is again perfectly clean.

Only fifty-two lynchings occurred in the year now closing. In previous years the number has been much larger, 190 having been recorded in 1894 and 170 in the year following. The last ten years the number has been steadily decreasing. Only one year, however, produced fewer lynchings than 1912. In 1907 the record shows 51 lynchings, one less than this year.

In some of the Southern States there were fewer lynchings in 1912 than in almost any previous year. The decrease is attributed largely to the efforts made by governors and prominent citizens to prevent mob violence. Many of the governors have acted promptly and energetically to prevent lynchings, with the declared policy of giving the law free opportunity for the punishment of all alleged offenders, white or black.

Again, as in the record of former years, more lynchings occurred in Georgia than in any other State. Louisiana and Florida come next in the list. South Carolina, whose governor has gone on record as unopposed to lynching in certain cases, had six cases of summary execution this year, as against only one in the year 1911. Kentucky, with eight lynchings in 1911, had a clean slate this year. Oklahoma is another state wit ha clean record for the past twelve months. The figures for Texas, Tennessee, Florida and Arkansas show fewer lynchings than in 1911.

In the fifty-two lynchings the victims of all but two were negroes. Three negresses were included in the list. Alleged crimes against women or girls and the murder of white persons account for practically all of the cases.

ROOSEVELT WILL CAUSE A SURPRISE.

According to gossip in Washington new light of a surprising kind will be thrown on the negotiations preceding the close of the Russo-Japanese war in a series of papers now in preparation by Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt. The papers, which will be published in a magazine, will be in the form of an autobiography. Naturally, this will be devoted in large measure to the private side of public events, and one chapter will tell interesting things about the Portsmouth peace conference between the Russian and Japanese diplomats.

It has long been known that the war brough Japan almost to the verge of bankruptcy, but the general opinion has prevailed that after the severe defeats at Port Arthur and along the Yalu river it was the Russians who sued for peace. But as Colonel Roosevelt will tell the story, it was the victorious Japanese who took the first step to end the war. The offer of this government to assist in terminating hostilities came not on the suggestion of Russia ,but at the direct request of Japan.

Colonel Roosevelt has at his disposal documentary proof of the account of the peace negotiations. Most striking of the papers that he will bring forward is a personal letter from the late Mikado to President Roosevelt, asking him to open a way for peace negotiations. The text of this letter will be printed in the Portsmouth chapter and it is expected to produce a sensation in Japan. It is recalled that the terms finally accepted by Japan were bitterly resented by the Japanese people, and it is thought that the publication now of a letter from the Mikado almost interceding for peace, will revive old feeling against the government, if not against the throne.

During the Russian war Baron Kogoro Takahira was Japanese minister to the United States, and he became one of the Japanese peace envoys to the Portsmouth conference. Presumably he presented the emperor's letter to President Roosevelt that brought about the conference Viscount Aoki then came to this country on the part of the Japanene ambassador.

In official circles there has long been a story—never before published—that the viscount's most important mission to Washington was the recovery of the text of the Emperor's letter to President Roosevelt. In that purpose, however, he failed.

In his stay in Washington many important events took place. The Japanese school controversy swept the Pacific Coast, the Viscount Aoki handled the situation admirably. About that time the American battleships sailed around the world, touching at Japanese ports. In these incidents the ambassador's ability was fully displayed. But without any warning he was recalled, because, the diplomats believe, he could not induce President Roosevelt to return the letter. However that may be, the Viscount reached Yokohoma in obedience to a summons to counsel without knowing that disgrace awaited him. He was met by an imperial functionary, and his own confidence in his good fortune was so evident that not until the train was within a few minutes of Tokyo did the functionary force himself to tell the ambassador that he was recalled for good. The ambassador, it is said, almost collapsed.

The Mikado's determination to recover the letter, it is said, explains the reassignment of Baron Takahira to Washington this times as ambassador. He returned to Washington in February, 1908, about a year before President Roosevelt's term expired, and he was one of the last to leave the ex-president when he boarded th train that took him back to private life. But he did not get the letter. And in September, 1909, he was recalled to Japan to receive domestic honors.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 5th day of November, 1912.

Cecelia (Speaks) Dade.
vs. In Chancery.
Casey Dade.
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony for the complainant from the defendant on the ground of desertion and abandonment for more than 3 years; that the complainant resume her maiden name of Speaks, and for all further and general relief as to equity may seem meet.

It appearing by the affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Casey Dade is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit: and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste:
Robinson Moncure
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

War on Orgies.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The climax of the reformers war on the New Year's eve orgy will come today when 500 ministers will march on Mayor Harrison and demand that he prohibit violations of the city ordinance and stop disorderly scenes in cafes Tuesday night.

A mass meeting will precede the parade to the mayor's office. At this meeting the ministers will discuss legal proceedings to be taken to close the saloons at one a. m., if the mayor does not rescind chief of police McWeeney's order extending the closing time until 3 a. m. The clerymen are determined to prevent the usual celebration.

From every pulpit in the city yesterday sermons were preached against New Year's eve celebrations. Mayor Harrison, chief McWeeney and other city officials were denounced for allowing violations of the law.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of December, 1912.

Mabel Rush Brawner,
vs. In Chancery,
Charles Edward Brawner.
Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony for the complainant, Mabel Rush Brawner, from the defendant, Charles Edward Brawner.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Charles Edward Brawner, is a non-resident of this State, It is Ordered, that said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and tha ta copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazettee, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

Howard W. Smith, P. Q.
A Copy: Testes
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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COMMISSIONERS SALE OF VALUABLE WATER FRONT IN ALEXANDRIA.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia, entered at the November term, 1912, in the chancery cause therein depending of J. S. Collard, in his own right, etc. complainant, against F. S. Allison, sheriff, administrator, etc., and others, defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale were therein ordered to expose to sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, in the City of Alexandria, Va., decedent, Virginia Collard's portion, being Lot No. 1, of the Groveton Farm, containing about fifty acres of wood land, at such time and after such advertisement as deemed to them proper, but at a price of not less than $30 per acre.

Therefore in pursuance of said decree the undersigned Special Commissioners of sale will expose to sale said fifty acres of land, at a price not less than $30 per acre, on SATURDAY, JANUARY 11th, 1913, in front of the ROYAL STREET ENTRANCE to the MARKET HOUSE, ALEXANDRIA, VA., being bounded and described as follows:

Lot No. 1 of Groveton, Beginning at A in the centre of the County road where the line of Henderson or the Smoot tract crosses the same, and thence with said line South 39 1-2 degrees East to a stone, a corner of Clifton; thence with the Clifton line North 21 1-2 degrees East 19.75 chains to a corner of Lot No. 2; thence with the line of the same North 48 1-2 degrees West 24.10 chains to the aforesaid County road; and thence with the aforesaid County road to the beginning, containing fifty acres, more or less, said land being well wooded and in convenient driving distance of Alexandria City, Va.

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ROBINSON MONCURE
THOMAS H. KEITH
Special Commissioners of Sale

In the Clerk's Office of Fairfax County Circuit Court, Virginia, November, 26, 1912.

I, W. E. Graham, Deputy Clerk, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, do certify that Robinson Moncure, one of the above named Commissioners of sale has duly this day given bond as provided by law and decree entered in above named cause, with United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as his surety, for the due performance of his duties as such Commissioner.

W. E. GRAHAM,
Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia.

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VIRGINIA.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court House of said city on Saturday, December 7th, 1912.

Present Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Ruth E. Dent
vs. In Chancery.
Robert L. Dent.

Upon the application of the complainant, stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, the Court on the 7th day of December, 1912, doth grant the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a suit of decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, Ruth E. Dent, from the defendant, Robert L. Dent, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without lawful cause or excuse, on the part of the defendant, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit. An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Robert L. Dent, cannot be found within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, and that he is a non-resident of said State;

here within fifteen days after due publication of the said order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of the said order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of said city on or before the 16th day of December, 1912, that being the next rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of the said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of said court to the non-resident defendant at 726 Greenmount Avenue, Baltimore, Md., his last known place of abode.

A Copy:—Teste.

It is Ordered: That he do appear Samuel G. Brent, P. Q.

It seems almost impossible for all of us to be good, but every one can be careful—not only in our daily walk and conversation, but in dealing. Be careful in buying shoes and rubbers and go to John A. Marshall & Bro.

Country Puddings, 14c pound. And all Pork products at strictly wholesale figures at Schuler's King stret Market.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of November, 1912.

Henry Melville Burch
Vs. In Chancery
Julia Grace Burch.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant, Henry Melville Burch, a divorce a mensa et thoro from the defendant, Julia Grace Burch, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment; and that the complainant be decreed such further relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Julia Grace Burch, is a non-resident of this State: it is Ordered, that the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Charles E. Corgan, P. Q.

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The plain-as-a-pipestem skirt is a thing of the dim and distant past. All skirts are broken up, if not by draperies, at least by tunics and panels that give the general effect of drapery. This smart suit of striped white mohair, intended for afternoon wear under a big motor coat, has a gracefully cut tunic which suggests a draped overskirt. The foot of the

(Photo. by Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.)

skirt is hemmed and underneath is a second hem of black satin which falls just over the instep of a patent leather buttoned boot. Black pipings and button loops and glass buttons trim the skirt and coat effectively. The line of the cutaway coat front, in direct contrast to the line of the tunic, is a new note and gives much individuality to the suit.

VOGUE OF THE SHIRTWAIST

Original and Becoming Designs Mark the Work, Which Shows Excellence of Designers.

The shirt which is worn with the tailor-made of today is very smart, very original and very becoming, and lovely designs have been evolved, even in the face of the fact that the two-piece suit, consisting of a gown with coat to match, is still immensely popular.

Among the materials which are utilized for these shirts fashion does not discard the homeliest ingredients.

For instance, there is Berlin wool, which is masquerading is a manner which is entirely different to the role it used to play in the days when our grandmothers spent hour after hour at their embroidery frames evolving gaily hued parrots and cabbage roses, for the decoration of walnut wood chairs and sofas.

The ground work of a shirt treated in this fashion is of tulle—fine, clear and soft—and this is covered with an irregular and slightly conventional work design made of darned work for which the white Berlin wool in question is used. The darning is, however, very close and very neat, the outlines being sharp and clear cut. A very striking contrast is afforded by a tiny turned-down collar of black charmeuse, a similar bit of the material forming the cuff, while there is besides a small vest of mousseline de soie set in narrow plaits, and the front is punctuated by a serried row of cut jet buttons.

Another and even more beautiful shirt was carried out in white chiffon, with a motif all over it worked in rich bright gold thread.

PRETTY RIBBONS FOR NECK

At No Time Have These Adornments Been So Handsome and Worthy of Praise as Now.

The latest development of the sautoir is the grosgrain or moire ribbon with plain or pilot edge and a large single ornament on the left side. One of the prettiest of these is a circular motif of exquisite delicacy. Another is a square of finest filet lace mesh wrought in platinum and diamonds, placed diagonally on the ribbon and held at the two opposite corners by two diamonds. These are again attached to a jeweled section that covers the ends of the ribbon. If a simpler chain for the lorgnon is desired there is the solitary pearl without any metal and strung as a slide on a silk cord. Both men and women are adopting this inconspicuous but handsome device.

Perhaps one of the most pleasing novelties of the moment is a velvet neck band with slides of seed pearls. These come with two or three slides or with a simple festoon. They are both radical departures from the old-fashioned themes, such as the rosette and the bowknot.—Vogue.

MISTAKE THAT IS GENERAL

Too Often Time Is Wasted Considering Difficulties Instead of Performing Allotted Task.

When a hard thing is to be done the natural inclination of most of us is to allow ourselves to think on the effort necessary to do it, instead of going ahead and doing it.

And here we make one of the most common mistakes in our lives.

When one is confronted by a severe task of duty which seems almost beyond one's powers, it is fatal to pause to consider its difficulties.

Never mind how hard it may seem, nothing can be tolerated in the mind except the consideration of ways of accomplishing it.

The secret of accomplishment lies in the answer of the urchin who was asked if he thought he would get the woodchuck for which he was energetically digging: "Get him? Why, man, I've got to get him; the minister's coming to dinner and there ain't no meat in the house!"

It is a wise economy in daily life to train the mind to take the attitude of determination in the beginning; to be deaf to the self which insists upon dwelling upon difficulties, and at once to bring into action the self that is determined to succeed.

Most persons have had the experience of looking back over an accomplished task with amused surprise at the exaggerated idea they entertained of it beforehand. Do the thing first and consider its difficulty afterward.

NEW IN THE TEXTBOOK LINE

Italian Meant Well, But His Knowledge of American Schoolbooks Was Small.

One morning, just as a teacher up in Harlem was entering her school, she was met in the hall by an Italian leading his little daughter by the hand.

"She wan' go school," said he politely, indicating the little girl. He pushed the child forward. "She wan' go school," he repeated, with many bows. "She has book," pointing to the book under the girl's arm, "an' she wan' go school."

"I see," said the teacher. "You have brought her all prepared. Can she read?"

The only response from the father was a shake of his head and a reiterated, "She wan' go school."

Whereupon the teacher took the book and looked at it. It was old and worn, and neither a reader nor an arithmetic. It was a social directory of the year 1909.

Floral Death Legends.

"By the Mexicans marigolds are known as death-flowers, from an exceedingly appropriate legend that they sprang up on the ground stained by the life-blood of those who fell victims to the love of gold and cruelty of the early Spanish settlers. Among the Virginian tribes, too, red clover was supposed to have sprung from and to be colored by the blood of the red man slain in battle with the white invaders. In a similar manner, the red poppies which followed the plowing of the field of Waterloo were said to have sprung from the blood of the killed and wounded in that famous battle. According to tradition, the Danish invasion is the cause of the Dane-weed, a coarse, asteraceous plant common in England, as it sprang from the blood of Danes slain in battle; and, if cut on a certain day in the year, it bleeds. The dwarf elder, for the same reason, is called Danewort and Dane's blood."—Suburban Life.

What Alaskan Dogs Eat.

Dogs in Alaska, when on the trail, are fed once a day, after the day's work is done. They are never fed in the morning, for if they were they would be lazy all day, or, what is more probable, would vomit up their breakfast soon after they got on the trail. Dogs, to work well, must be well fed, and it is false economy to underfeed a dog. They are fed on a variety of foods, including rice, tallow, corn meal and fish. If rice or corn meal forms a part of their food it must be cooked. Some men prefer to feed their dogs on bacon or fish, thus doing away with cooking. Cooked food is cheaper and more fattening than raw feed, but the question as to whether dogs can work better on cooked or uncooked food is one that will never be settled so long as there are "mushers" to argue the question.

A practical joker in New York fed an elephant red pepper. He occupies a hospital cot next to the man who tickled the southern elevation of a mule.

An eastern man offers to teach flying by mail. If all flying were done by mail, the aviators wouldn't have so much trouble in getting life insurance.

Mulai Hafid has quit the sultan business and gone to Paris, but we are unable to find out whether he is enjoying himself or living with his harem.

A fake aviation school in the east has gone up in the air. That's more than its pupils ever did.

A new dance popular at eastern summer resorts is known as the horse-trot. A hobby, so to speak.

DANGEROUS FISH TO MEET

Habitat of South American Waters That Seems Particularly Fond of the Human Body.

Probably one of the most dangerous and least known of man's watery enemies, says the Wide World Magazine, is the candiru, or canemi, a fish three to eight inches long, and guilty of the extraordinary habit of diving suddenly into the human anatomy by the most convenient channels.

There are two distinct species, one eel-like in appearance, blunt-headed and smooth-bodied, the other armed with a sharp, bony snout, two to three inches in length, swallow-tailed, and covered from snout to tail by small barbs. It is particularly attracted by the human body, into which it dives suddenly and with great force, producing a shock somewhat akin to a powerful electric discharge.

In the case of both types a serious surgical operation is involved; but in the case of the Beni variety the more the fish or the victim wriggles the farther the fish penetrates—and it cannot get back. It frequently causes death, for a surgeon is a rara avis in these wilds.

I saw two cut out of a woman in Riveralta, South America, where victims are common. The fish is a bloodsucker, and can be easily caught with a lump of raw meat, into which it dives in a much similar way—the proboscis being probably its usual means of securing blood.

WAS DABBLING IN THE PAST

Pilgrim Somewhat Resentful Because He Was Misled Into Perusing an Old Magazine.

"Among the things I'd like to know about," remarked the weary looking pilgrim with the drab mustache, on the car, "is this: How does a doctor or dentist come by his magazines? Does he go around among his friends and buy up old ones after his friends have read 'em, so's to get 'em cheaper? Or does he buy new magazines and then lay them away somewhere and let them age by natural process before placing them on the table in his reception room?

"A day or so ago I had occasion to sit in the reception room of a prosperous dentist—that is, I suppose he's prosperous if he charges everybody on the same scale that he does me—and while I waited I began to rummage through his magazines that I found lying on the table. I got interested in an article in the Literary Digest about a threatened war between Russia and Japan. What! Another Russian mix-up? I became all worked up about it and turned over a page for further details. Then I happened to glance at the date, and found that I had been reading a magazine issued in January, 1904."

Error to Try to Hurry Women.

A Fort Scott (Kan.) man and his wife were planning to take a trip, the Tribune of that town says, and after they had decided on the day the man spoiled all the pleasure of preparing by suggesting that he "bet they would miss the train." On the fatal morning his wife suddenly remembered that she had not put in her mirror and rushed back to get it. When she started again she was sure there was something else she had forgotten and looked in her suitcase to see. It happened to be there, so they rushed to the depot. The train was just out of sight, but the man didn't say "I told you so." He did say, though: "If you hadn't taken so much time dressing we wouldn't have missed the train." "I know that," returned the wife, "and if you hadn't rushed me we wouldn't have had to wait so long for the next train."

Value of Knowledge.

Mrs. Featherton had embroidered a gown for herself. Butterflies were the design, and she had made them look so natural that—so Mr. Featherton said—one would think they were actually alive. But Mrs. Featherton's little son was more critical. He regarded the decorative insects long and earnestly, opened his lips to speak, and then, with remarkable self-control for one so young, closed them again without speaking.

"Well, Frankie," said his mother at last, "tell me what you think of my butterflies."

"They are very nice, mother," replied he seriously, "but the next time you embroider butterflies, would you mind putting the antennae on the other end?"

Recreation for the Rich.

Let us give credit where it is due. You can not think that the devotion of surplus wealth to the acquisition of works of art deserves condemnation. On the contrary, it deserves praise and recognition—don't you think so? Keen business men require recreation. All brain workers want counter irritation. Pictures, books, old china and antiquities generally furnish the necessary relaxation, hence the collection of them has become the fashion in the United States, a fashion so attractive that in the buying of them the American must hustle, as in his business, if he wants "to get there," and the almighty dollar talks.—London Opinion.

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In Effect November 1, 1912.

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5:40, 5:40, 6:00, 6:20, 6:20, 6:40, 6:55, 7:05, 7:15, 7:30, 7:40, 8:00, 8:15, 8:25, 8:35, 8:50, 9:10, 9:30, 9:50, 10:10, 10:30, 10:50, 11:10, 11:25, 11:50 a. m. 12:10, 12:25, 12:30, 12:50, 1:10, 1:25, 1:50, 2:10, 2:25, 2:30, 2:50, 3:05, 3:25, 3:35, 3:50, 4:10, 4:25, 4:30, 4:40, 4:45, 5:25, 5:35, 5:50, 6:05, 6:20, 6:30, 7:00, 7:15, 7:25, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, and 11:55 p. m.

Sundays—7:00, 7:35, 8:10, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 11:00, 11:20, 11:40, a. m., 12:00, m., 12:20, 12:40, 1:00, 1:20, 1:40, 2:00, 2:20, 2:40, 3:00, 3:20, 3:40, 4:00, 4:20, 4:40, 5:00, 5:20, 5:40, 6:00, 6:20, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:20, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00 and 11:10 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon,

week days at 5:25, 6:56, 7:56, 8:51, 10:2, 11:25 a. m., 12:25, 1:25, 2:25, 3:30, 4:4, 5:20, 6:30, 7:35, 8:50, 9:50, 10:0, 11:50, P. M.

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Men, you who have tastes, prepare to display them. Never overlook a good bet. When it is said that Marshall's shoes for young and old are the best it is only putting it mild. Take a chance. Oct 8 tf

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McKeesport, Pa.—With 7,000 converts to his credit here, Billy Sunday, evangelist, when interrupted by a skeptic, yelled, "leave him to me! I can lick five men you ever saw."

Is your husband cross? An irritable cross finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently cured of stomach trouble by taking Chamberlain's Stomach Tablets. For sale by all dealers.

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This is the first week in the year, and the week when most every wrong-doer decides to do right. While we are enthusiastic over doing the right thing, let us do the most logical right thing by **Starting** a bank account—no matter how small—which by this time next year will have grown, because we will have made it grow.

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Doctors Use This for Eczema

Dr. Evans, Ex-Commissioner of Health, says: "There is almost no relation between skin diseases and the blood." The skin must be cured through the skin. The germs must be washed out, and so salves have long ago been found worthless. The most advanced physicians of this country are now agreed on this, and are prescribing a wash of wintergreen, thymol and other ingredients for eczema and all other skin diseases. This compound is known as D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.

Dr. Holmes, the well known skin specialist writes: "I am convinced that the D.D.D. Prescription is as much a specific for eczema as quinine for malaria. We have been prescribing the D.D.D. remedy for years."

We ourselves vouch for the D.D.D. Prescription for eczema and absolutely guarantee that it will take away the itch the instant you apply it.

If you are suffering from any form of skin trouble we would like to have you come to our store, for we have had the agency of this remedy for so many years that we can tell you all about D.D.D. Prescription and how it cures eczema. In fact, we are so sure of what D.D.D. will do for you that we will be glad to let you have a $1 bottle on our guarantee that it will cost you nothing unless you find that it does the work. For that matter a trial bottle for 25c ought to be enough to absolutely prove the merits of the remedy.

Drop into our store anyway and we will tell you all about this great remedy.

E. S. Leadbeatsr & Sons.

Two Days Before the New Year

And after the Christmas dinner the cupboard, pantry and cellar will be in need of household supplies. No time like the present to replenish them for New Year By phoning you can have your wants immediately filled. It will pay you to visit the store and learn that we only handle the finest goods, quality considered and at the lowest prices.

A few Suggestions

Anchovies in Olive Oil.
Marrons in Vanilla Syrup.
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Russian Caviar in 1-8, 1-4 and 1-2 size.
Cross & Blackwell's Anchovie Paste.
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Stuffed Mangoes.
Burnt Onion Sauce.
Celery Salt.
Calves Feet Jelly.
Stuffed Prunes

Champagnes.
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Burgundy Wines.
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WASHINGTON LETTER

President Taft is acting the part of a belated Santa Claus. The private car which brought the executive and his party at St. Augustine, Fla., and shortly afterward carried him away northward on the homebound stretch from Panama, was packed with a collection of Christmas gifts. The President decided to bring back from Panama most of the little personal remembrances which he customarily presents to close friends. Charley Taft, the President's son, is bringing back his Christmas gifts too most conspicuous among them being a large bundle of sugar cane and a basket of cocoanuts. Mr. and Mrs. Taft plan to have their Christmas all over again tomorrow, when they arrive in Washington. The Presidential party arrived in Augusta in time for breakfast. Afterward the President saw the "Fountain of Youth" and viewed the whole of this, the oldest city in the United Staes. Shortly before noon he was back on the train again and en route for Washington. The President is hastening his homeward journey to arrive tomorrow morning, instead of afternoon, orignally planned. This will give him a full day of work here and a chance to take a rest in the evening in preparation for his ordeal of the New Year's Reception on Wednesday. Col. Goethals, chief engineer of the engineer of the canal and his wife who are traveling with the Presidential party, will be White House guests for several days. The President is due in Washington at 9:00 o'clock tomorrow morning. His cold is entirely gone.

A special weekly forecast by the Weather Bureau today said: "A disturbance, central Sunday over the lower Missouri Valley, will cause local rains east of the Mississippi River during the early days of the week with probably some snow over the extreme northern districts. Fair weather will follow and will prevail during the remainder of the week, except over the central and northern portions of the country, where fair weather during the middle of the week will be followed later by unsettled weather with rains or snows. There will also be some snow early in the week in the northwest, followed by fair weather and some what lower temperatures. In the central west and southwest generally fair weather with seasonable temperatures will prevail during the week. No cold weather is indicated for the east and south."

President Taft has power if he desires, to give the House Money Trust Commttee all data now in possession of the Comptroller of the Currency as to national banks, and he also has authority, in his discretion, to direct that official to collect certain information. This was the substance of Attorney-General Wickersham's opinion, made to President Taft on November 9, and today made public by the Attorney-General in order, he said, to clear up "confused and erroneous statements" circulated during the last few ays.

Showing a gain in the amount of loans, a decrease in the amount of cash on hand, and a gain in deposits, the Comptroller of the Currency today made public the result of the recent call on national banks for a statement of their accounts up until the first of December. The report shows that 7,420 national banks gave an account of their standing. The total resources shown are $10,965,788,617.68.

NOTICE.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 30, 1912.

Companions: You are notified to attend a called convocation of Mt. Vernon R. A. Chapter, N. 14, to be held in the Tabernacle Monday evening, December 30, at 7:30 o'clock.

By order of the M. E. High Priest.
A. U. UHLER, Secty.

MEETING OF ALDERMEN. ....

President Marbury has called a meting of the Board of Aldermen for 1:30 this afternoon for the purpose of authorizing the finance committee to make arrangements for borrowing $50,000 to meet the current expenses of the fiscal year.

FOUND—A cuff button bearing initial "K." and a Yale lock key No. 4824. Owner can have same by applying at this office and paying for Advertisement. 30 1t.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of December, 1912.

Florence Buckner Washington,
Vs. In Chancery.
Augustus Washington.
Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant, Florence Buckner Washington, an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, Augustus Washington, on the ground of desertion and abandonment for more than 3 years; and that complainant have custody and raising of the infants Ida Washington and Lillian Washington; resumption of maiden name; and for such further and general relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Augustus Washington, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
ACopy—Test. Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake Blaugas Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2 Alexandria National Bank building, on Thursday, January 16, 1913, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business of the corporation as may be brought before the meeting.

JAMES H. HAYDEN, Secty.
Chesapeake Blaugas Corporation.
28- 1 a w 3 w.

YOUNG MAN desires position in Alexandria, thoroughly experienced in butter, egg and cheese business, wholesale, jobbing and retail. Good education, good penman. Also A-1 chauffeur, or would like to hear from any one desiring an all-round live man. A. GEORGE, Box "B." care Gazette. 27-3t.

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A small advertisement in our Classied columns will bring quick results.

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Good cook, wages $5.00 per week, fare refunded, references required. Address Mrs. Merwin McKaig, 155 Washington St., Cumberland, Md. 26 6t.

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FOR RENT.

NEW BRICK HOUSE 511 south Fairfax street. All modern improvements. Apply to J. D. KNIGHT, 527 south Fairfax street. 11.

FOR RENT.—Two large light office rooms, water and toilet. N. E. cor. Fairfax and Prince. Would also do for small business Inquire 128 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. 26 2wks.

FOR RENT—Three desirable communicating rooms for light housekeeping. Possession on January 1st. Apply 911 Cameron street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—Desirable Country residence and 15 1-4 acres of land, improved; house in fine condition, 10 rooms, running water in house, numerous outbuildings. For price and terms phone 192 ,or apply to Wm. H. Peck. 20 1m.

FOR.. SALE—426 South Fairfax Street, seven room frame good condition, connected with sewer. Lot 23x100. Stands owner more than price asked. To quick purchaser, $1,100.00.

E. J. Fleming,
Sales, rents, loans, insurance.

WANTED at once 3,000 pair sof old shoes. Good prices. W. W. Simpson, Braddock House.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are being received for a limited number of shares in third series opening in January. Books showing our steady progress open for inspection of stockholders at all times. Alexandria Building and Loan Association, Inc., 601 King Street. 19 1m

SUITS $20.00 up, strictly all wool; fit guaranteed. Geo. W. A. Schreiner, The Tailor, 131 S. Fairfax street. 20 3e

THE OLD RELIABLE repairing and cleaning establishment clean gloves and cloaks equal to new. Repairing and dyeing a specialty. Drop me a postal to call for the work. S. Flaxman, 127 S. Fairfax. 15 26t

Window shades made to order. Get our prices. Fine paper hanging and interior decorating. Send postal and will call and give estimates.
See our 5c Wall Paper.
H. E. WEBB, 921 King Street.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Meeting of Stockholders.

The First National Bank, Alexandria, Va., Dec. 14, 1912.

The annual meeting of stockholders of this bank will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors and such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

GEO. E. WARFIELD, Cashier.
14 1m.

FOR SALE—An unlimited scholarship in one of the largest business colleges in Washington, good for complete course in bookkeeping stenography, typewriting, etc Price $35.00. Regular price $60.00 Address "Business," care Gazette.

NOTICE.

Any person whosoever attempting to contract any bill purporting to be for or in the part of troop A, 15th Cavalry, does so without authority and should be promptly prosecuted for fraud.

This troop pays cash for everything purchased.

LEROY ELTINGE,
Captain 15th Cavalry,
Commanding Troop A.
26, 2t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ontario Apartment House Company for the lection of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 14, 1913, at 10 30 A. M.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT,
President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secty.
Dec. 26 d 12t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Iowa Apartment House Company for the election of a Board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the company No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 14, 1913, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT,
President.
A. M. McLACHLEN,
Secretary.
Dec. 26 d 12 t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the MacLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 14th, 1913, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

A. M. McLACHLEN,
President.
L. P. McLACHLEN,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Manganese Corporation will be held at the office of the Company, 107 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, at eleven (11) o'clock A. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeeting.

L. M. LARKIN, Asst. Sec.
26 d 12t.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Lyndhurst and Sherando Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, 107 North Fairfax street, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at eleven-thirty (11:30) o'clock A.M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

L. M. LARKIN, Asst. Sec.

Stockholders Meeting of The American Rutile Company, of Virginia.

The annual meeting of Stockholders of the American Rutile Company, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, to 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered.

The transfer books will be closed for 10 days prior to the 6th day of January.

W. M. SLATER, President.
ALBERT HARPER, Sec. & Treas.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria National Bank will be held in the office of the banking house at the corner of King and Royal streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 14th day of January, 1913, at 11:12 o'clock, for the election of Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
14 30t.

T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National Bank, will be held at their banking house, in Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier.
14 1m.

Annual Meeting.

The forty-fourth annual meeting of the Independent Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Fairfax Co., Va., will be held at the company's office, corner Royal and Prince streets, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

JAMES W. ROBERTS, Prest.
16 td

AUCTION SALE

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

Sale of two desirable lots in New Alexandria, Fairfax County, Va.

By virtue of and pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust, dated March 1902 executed by Kate Hayden to R. F. Knox, Trustee, and of record in Deed Book J, No. 6, page 227, of the Land Records of Fairfax County, Virginia, at the written request and direction of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House in Alexandria City, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY, 4, 1913,

At 12 O'clock M.,

that parcel of ground with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, located in New Alexandria, Fairfax County, Virginia, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being Lots Nos 19 and 20 in block No 28 in the subdivision of town site of New Alexandria, Fairfax County, Virginia., as recorded on the plat in Liber U, No. 5, page 254 of the Land Records of said county.

Terms of Sale:—Cash. Conveyance at the cost of purchaser or purchasers.

R. F. KNOX, Trustee.
17 e o d 3 wks.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

William Albert Berkeley,
Vs. In Chancery.
Edna Ellen Berkeley.
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree amensa et thoro from the defendant Edna Ellen Berkeley, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without lawful cause or excuse; and that the complainant, William Albert Berkeley, be decreed such further and other relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in his cause that the defendant, Edna Ellen Berkeley, is a non-resident of his State: It is Ordered, That the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste.
Chas. E. Corgan, P. Q.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

Mary C. Wright Long,
Vs. In Chancery.
William Ralph Long.
Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant an absolute divorce from defendant, upon the lapsing of three years from the original desertion, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment; for resumption of maiden name; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, William Ralph Long is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste:
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.

Veal Cutlets, 20c pound, Veal chuck, 16c and 18c pound. Vea lRoast, 15c pound. Veal Breast, 13c pound. At M. Schuler's King Street Market.